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Madison, Wisconsin -- Erik C. Peterson, United States Attorney for the Western District of Wisconsin, announced that Jacob Wold, DOB 7/11/75, of Eau Claire, Wisconsin, was sentenced today by U.S. District Judge John C. Shabaz to 88 months in federal prison for possession with intent to distribute methamphetamine. Wold pleaded guilty to this charge on April 17, 2006.

On September 21, 2005, law enforcement executed a search warrant at Jacob Wold's home. Inside the residence, officers seized methamphetamine and a firearm. The investigation revealed that Wold sold over 300 grams of methamphetamine to individuals in the Eau Claire County area.

The charges against Wold were the result of an investigation conducted by the Eau Claire Police Department, the Menomonie Police Department, and the West Central Drug Task Force. Prosecution of the case has been handled by Assistant U.S. Attorneys Daniel J. Graber and David J. Reinhard.

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